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Burglary Suspect Arrested, Police Work Praised

Milwaukee Police Apprehend Suspect in Ald. Robert Bauman's Home Break-In

A 19-year-old suspect has been arrested for the October 31, 2007 burglary of Ald. Robert Bauman's home. A preliminary hearing for the case is scheduled for this Thursday, November 29, 2007. "The detectives took fingerprints from a steel coffee can that had contained coins taken in the burglary; ran the prints through their system and found a match to a person with prior arrests. An arrest warrant was then issued." Ald. Bauman said.

Residents on the south side of Milwaukee also did their duty. Last week, a young man's aggressive panhandling prompted alert residents to call the police. After a brief interview with the suspect, police determined he was the same individual wanted for the burglary and he was taken into custody.

"The system worked exactly the way it's supposed to work. I want to thank the officers of the Milwaukee Police Department who were involved in this investigation and arrest. They demonstrated excellent police work." Ald. Bauman said.